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- 1) Response to Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures;
- 2) A paper copy of the Sequence Listing;
- 3) A computer readable form (CRF) of the Sequence Listing;
- A copy of the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures;

5) A Substitution of Attorneys;

- 6) A Petition for a one-month Extension of Time; and
- 7) A check in the amount of \$100 to cover the fee for the Extension of Time

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Respectfully submitted,

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The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825 for the following reason(s):
1. This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.821
- 1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to these regulations, published at 1114 OG 29, May 15, 1990 and at 55 FR 18230, May 1, 1990.
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2. This application does not contain, as a separate part of the disclosure on
paper copy, a "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR 1.821(c).
3. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been
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